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# Prologue

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## Prologue

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It was early morning. After Lin Qing Yu got up from her bed, she walked to the bathroom and sat on the bowl of toilet. She faintly felt her lower body was a little bit different from usual, like there was something that weight it down.

That sensation arrived quite suddenly and was new to her. She couldn't help, but rubbed her eyes until it opened and gaze down. Then...

She was wide awake.

It seemed like she saw... something elongate and dangling from her body...

The inconfort of yesterday's hangover could no longer numb her brain. The shock of the reality made it seemed like her temples never suffered like something was constantly drumming. The reality sobered her up. Following that, she somewhat foolishly stared at it with amazement.

Lin Qing Yu was still taken by surprise and, without caring one bit about hygiene, she reached down her hand to touch and to feel it out. It felt... like those tapioca balls you find in bubble tea, soft and flexible. Furthermore, the temperature felt so real.

After a long time, at last, she managed to react and inhaled a mouthful of cold air. In that split of second, she lost all desires to relief herself. It was as if she saw a ghost and needed to escape. She leaned on the cover of the toilet bowl and raised her head. Then, she caught sight of something in the mirror in her bedroom from the opened door of the bathroom that made her appeared like a stupid and frightened roe deer...

*'Ah? Who is this brother?'*

Lin Qing Yu opened her eyes wide and attentively observed the person in the mirror. After careful observation, that robust silhouette belonged to her, blue-

green facial hair, clear and bright short hair and unruly legs' hair as well... It made people unable to understand...

*Ah! Ding! Ding!*

IT'S HER! Ah! She had turned into a man!

"F\*\*\*!"

"F\*\*\*!" Lin Qing Yu rushed out of the bathroom in panic. The voice that came out from her mouth had already change into the voice of an angry man. "I have become a man!"

In the quiet bedroom, two people each wrapped in a quilt impatiently turned in their bed. One of them was a male student with glasses dressed like the Haier's brothers<sup>[1]</sup>. He properly got down of his bed, but his foot didn't even touch the floor that he climbed back the ladder and crawled into his bed again. He looked at Lin Qing Yu with hazy and sleepy eyes with his expression completely saying: "Ah?"

*'Who is this tall brother that look like an exhibitionist?'*

Her girl's bedroom! Her chief of office! Her Big Sister Lulu! Her little Huahua! Her accommodating roommates! Her fragrant bedroom! All gone!

*'How come it becomes a room with cigarette butts, instant noodles and smells like socks?!"*

A brother dressed with only a blue briefs unhurriedly passed, making her swallowed her saliva. After he put on his glasses, his sight rest on Lin Qing Yu who was stupidly staring like a dog. "You said you become a man?" He thought for a while, "You're saying that you were able to do it with your girlfriend?"

*'Do it yourself...'*

*'Ah! My girlfriend, what girlfriend...'*

On a bed, there was another male student who failed to whistle. "Not bad."

*'Ah? What not bad?' She wanted to say she changed into a man literally! These people were probably having impure thoughts!*

The whistling fatty held his head while stretching out of bed. "Yesterday, you

were so waste that even the appearance of demons wouldn't even wake you up and you tell me that you managed to do that kind of thing? *Ha!* Let Big Brother share a few things with you about that feeling."

'What feelings?'

After waking up, the whole world became different!

Lin Qing Yu attentively observed the fatty, the corner of her mouth twitched and pulled up.

She recognized that fatty. He was in the same class as her and was called Wang Chen Yang. He was always teased for his waist measurement being the same size as the length of his leg. Furthermore, when she looked carefully that Haier's brother, she felt like she also knew that person. If she wasn't wrong, that person is the top student of the class next door who held the top scholarship for every term and got future recommendations for postgraduate studies...

Lin Qing Yu suddenly grinned, "*Hehe!* Don't tell me I am dreaming right now and haven't wake up from the alcohol?" She waved her hand and slapped herself. "*Hehe!* That slap on the face also hurts."

Fatty : "...."

"*Hehe!* Right now, I think I need some time alone." Fatty and Haier's brother watched speechlessly at Lin Qing Yu who, step by step, returned to the bathroom and closed the door behind. Once again, she sat on the toilet bowl, covered her face and contemplate for a very long time...

Afterwards, she raised her head... She still saw a male face reflected in the mirror instead of her face like before.

Although, it wasn't the right time to think about this type of thing, but Lin Qing Yu couldn't help remarking that face was actually wildly handsome. She stood up and felt and groped her pectoral muscles, her abdominal muscles and her strong thighs.

The build is also very good...

However, why this face? Who could have thought of the impression corresponding to her face?

Outside, Haier's brother knocked on the door. "Lin Qing Yu, you still haven't woke up from the alcohol, ah? Come out, I need the toilet."

Hearing the name, Lin Qing Yu stilled, then she opened the door. Compared to her, the top student was half a head shorter. "Brother" Her face was solemn and serious. "I just want to ask you one thing."

"Ah?"

"I'm called Lin Qing Yu. I'm a grade A goods planning to attend school. Since I entered school, I was always a male, a youth, a boy, right?"

Haier's brother looked at Lin Qing Yu with dead fish eyes as if he wanted to say Lin Qing Yu had gone crazy. He answered with the same deadpan attitude, "Yeah..."

'Yeah...'

Lin Qing Yu felt as if the word forcefully entered a whirlpool deep inside her, rotating and spinning, causing her worldview to completely overturn.

"Why are you guys being so noisy in the morning?"

Following that gentle and familiar voice, Lin Qing Yu caught sight of the fourth roommate... Messy hair, high and straight bridge nose and peach blossoms eyes...

*Oh!* It was her Mr Perfect!

Previously, when she entered school, she had hidden in her heart the admiration she had for the ultimate Mr Perfect!

Lin Qing Yu stupidly looked at everything in front of her. There was only one thing that came to her mind, '*This must be a dream...*'

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# Chapter 1

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Lin Qing Yu pointed to the sky and sworn, she was a woman who was absolutely fair with others and cheated neither young nor old from what she remembered in all of her 22 years.

She clearly remembered her cup size at that time of the month when THAT came to visit her again. She also remembered, two days ago, Sophie 410 four layers<sup>[1]</sup> were on sale at 15% off; Team Leader was looking at a red skirt on Taobao<sup>[2]</sup>; Lulu was talking about her little stud earring...

Why did her world changed after she awakened?

Now, she lived in a boy's dormitory; Her wardrobe was entirely composed of men's clothes; Her computer was full of manly games and there was only novels and fictions that men would read!

It seemed like she entered a parallel world, because she still studied at the same university. Her classmates were people who interacted with her before. The only thing that she remembered differently was the fact she was...

...A woman previously.

Since early morning, Lin Qing Yu didn't go anywhere. She sat in the bedroom all day, looking at her foolish expression on the reflection of the mirror. Because her train of thought were excessively chaotic and complicate, she had blank out instead.

From the moment she turned into a man up until now, she still didn't have enough time to adapt herself yet.

The cellphone on the desk and the one she used was from the same chinese brand. In that split of second when the ringtone echoed, Lin Qing Yu refused to answer it.

She stared at the phone taciturnly for a long time. She let the pictures of that flirty woman looping on the screen over and over again as she calmly and seriously pondered over one problem.

‘Why...?’

She turned into a man and the girlfriend she had was unexpectedly the woman she hate the most.

‘*Li Si He...*’

To sum the relationship between them in pleasant terms, it would be “There is no you, if there is me”. In other words, “I live, you die!!”

Lin Qing Yu was truly unable to understand even if she thought about it ten thousands times. ‘*What is so charming about Li Si He in the end? How comes all males end up falling for her?*’ Is it because of the length of her xxxxx which caused her good taste to drop so much? Or...has her IQ shrink that much?

‘*Sometimes, reality is more queer than fiction.*’

The phone rang for a very long time, before it finally stopped. But, immediately after, it rang again. This time, Lin Qing Yu stopped her sight on the four words “My lovely little darling” for the caller’s ID.

‘*What the fuck?*’

‘*Can it get more nauseating?*’

Lin Qing Yu still didn’t pick up the phone. The noisy ringtone accompanied her while she was pondering over her matters.

What did she do yesterday that caused her world to change like this?

Lin Qing Yu slowly recalled, she was a fourth year student about to graduate. She remembered sending lots of CV and applied to a lot of places, but, since she was a female graduate, it was very difficult to find a job in engineering. For this reason, she suffered many unspeakable depressing situations. Her heart became gloomy, so she invited Su Xia to go drink, after that... she got drunk.

What happen after she got drunk, she couldn’t remember one bit of it.

Could it be she fell through a manhole on her way home? Or was she suddenly

hit by lightning on the street? Maybe, she accidentally stepped on a mysterious space-time rift?

*'Really... Cannot think of anything.'*

Lin Qing Yu held her head and made a long sigh. Right now, what could she do to return...?

Once again, the phone stopped ringing. Lin Qing Yu's train of thought follow the phone's ring and also stopped. She continued looking foolishly at her own reflection. She didn't know how long she did so, but, once again, the phone rang. Lin Qing Yu thought that Li Si He was a really clingy girlfriend, but, as she glanced the phone's screen, she caught sight of the caller ID and her mind froze.

Mom.

*'That's right!'* In this world she might have a mom and it might be the same mom...

Lin Qin Yu was somewhat uneasy as she took the call.

"Hello?"

"Hello? Little Yu!"

Hearing that intimate way of calling, Lin Qing Yu was somewhat distracted.

From her impression, her mother did use this kind of intimate tone to call her name, but she called her little brother in such way much more often. As for Lin Qing Yu who was the older sister, she cared less about her. By the time Lin Qing Yu went to university, her relation with her mother became more tense. She spoke less and less with her mother and could no longer discuss calmly and without stress with her mother.

On the phone, her mother started to be concerned about "his" recent livelihood. Did he had enough money to use; How well were his studies and what he wanted to eat when he return home on the weekend?

Lin Qin Yu studied at university in the city and could return home every week. However, during her four years of university, she rarely wanted to return home.

"How is Lin Bin?" Lin Qin Yu couldn't help inquire about her little brother's situation. "Is he returning this weekend?"

There was an instant of silence over the phone. “Who?”

“Lin...” Lin Qing Yu suddenly stopped. “No one. I was just saying this weekend I might not return.”

“Ah? Why? Mom misses you and is going to make stew for you.”

“It’s just... I don’t want to eat.”

After a few simple explanations, she hung up.

She held the phone while pondering for a moment. After that, she opened her contacts list and searched through all of her friends and so on. In the end, she discovered she didn’t seem to have a little brother in this world!

*‘That scourge simply didn’t get to be born in this word, AH!’*

This discovery certainly made people feel all refresh and excited!

That’s right! If she carefully thought about it, it should be like this... Since Lin Qing Yu was born as a boy, her mother would not think about getting a second child!

Lin Qing Yu slapped the desk and stood up. Since her height was now much taller than before, she firmly hit her head on the bed above hers.

As Wang Chen Yang opened the door while holding a bottle of coke, he caught sight of Ling Qing Yu who was silently clutching her head where it hurt.

“Lin Qing Yu, what were you doing all alone in the bedroom today?” While Wang Chen Yang was drinking his coke, he said, “Today, Li Si He was asking about you. She said you suddenly didn’t go to class today. I also sent you a message, but you didn’t reply.” He walked by and patted Lin Qing Yu’s shoulder. “Since we’re brothers, let me say something. As men, we need to take responsibility. After doing this and that yesterday, how can you not take the initiative to contact the other person?”

“Fatty Wang!” Lin Qing Yu was unable to endure the pain on her head. She raised her head and looked at him. “Let me ask you something. In our main field of study, it’s easy for us, men, to find a job, right?”

Wang Chen Yang blanked, “Yeah... But we’re only third year. It’s not urgent to find one right now. Hey! We’re talking about proper business here. About your

girlfriend..."

Lin Qing Yu already stopped listening to his words.

*'Proper business, how is a girlfriend, a proper business? To find a job that is a proper business!'*

She was currently a male and it was very easy to find work. Moreover, they are still in their third year! Compare to her time, it was still one year earlier. She would have the advantage of a whole year to properly prepare herself and, when she becomes a fourth year, she will go find a good job, have a proper career and a good wage. A good life was not always something that could be easily obtained directly!

There were flames raging inside Lin Qing Yu's eyes. It seemed like she already saw her every steps were going to bring her closer and closer to the summit of the pyramid of good life.

Why would she want change back now? Wasn't it very good being a man?

Up until now, her life was filled with difficulties and problems. After turning into a man, most of her problems were easily solved!

Returning back to zero!

Wang Chen Yang was still being long-winded about the matters with Li Si He. Suddenly, Lin Qing Yu grabbed his arm and looked at his face. Her mouth was moving, but, in the end, the words stayed stuck in her throat.

She couldn't talk about it! Her secret could only be known by her only or someone who couldn't talk about it.

"I'm going out."

Lin Qing Yu opened the door, but didn't bring anything with her. She broke into a run and ran downstairs.

"Hey! You haven't wear your jacket yet and it's going to snow a lot today!"

Fatty Wang was shouting behind Lin Qing Yu, but she didn't hear his yell at all. Was the clothes she wear appropriate to the weather? At this moment, her state of mind had already caused her whole body to be feverish!

she ran all the way like she was possessed, using high intensity exercises to vent out the surge of violent emotions raging inside her heart. She ran passed many school buildings, directly towards a grove behind the lake.

This was part of the new campus of University A which occupied a large area. There weren't many people passing through the faculty. Just recently, small trees that still hadn't grown yet were planted. This sanctuary still hadn't turn into a haven for couples and the forbidden area for "you are you and I am by myself" people.

Lin Qing Yu took big strides and, never before, had she ran so fast with such strength. She felt liberated and her soul gave birth to a feeling of complete freedom.

In the deepest part of the grove, there was a flourishing big tree that stood quietly.

In her memories, she didn't remember a big tree, that was so tall it seemed to reach the sky, planted in the new campus.

However, in her current situation, the existence of this tree could be something important! '*It could be important.*' She caught sight of a hole in the tree.

Once she could step on the interweaved tree roots, she put her head inside the tree hole.

This tree that didn't exist in her previous memories made Lin Qing Yu wished for something. She also didn't go further in as she didn't know if there was any bugs inside. In a split of a moment, she decided to cover her head before she went in to explore the tree hole. She wanted to scream, but the surroundings atmosphere was so peaceful as the wind was blowing and birds were singing. It made it feels like a single loud noise could destroy this beautiful scenery.

She refrained herself again. Then, softly and gently, as if she was whispering in someone's ear, she said all the things she was unable to say and all the things she was secretly delight about. "I turned into a man." She couldn't help from laughing. Her laugh was very small almost like it was broken from the repress emotions. "I'm called Lin Qing Yu and I became a man today!"

Her voice reverberated inside the tree. It felt like the echoed of her voice

became a gust of wind that drummed on the trunk, making the branches trembled. Outside, a light breeze caused the leaves to rustle. The sounds inside and outside merged together causing the whole tree to tremble.

Just at that instant when the words were whispered and resounded in the whole tree, Su Yian regained his consciousness.

The sunlight was very warm and the wind was perfect. However, he felt his body was completely rigid.

He felt the warmth of a palm on his abdomen and lowered his line of sight. However, he also felt that he couldn't bend his head as much as he tried to look down. This was a really unbelievable experience...

Although it made him feel unbelievable, he wondered how can such a tiny and weird man went into his abdomen. But then, his mental capacity was unable to cope with the following whispered words from his belly button.

*'Is... Is that tiny person a monster?'*

Su Yian was so frightened he wanted to leap and escape far away, but then, he discovered that... Right now, he couldn't move at all.

*'This... What is going?'*

The "tiny" man in his "tree hole" diligently and tirelessly continued talking, "You know what? Yesterday, I turned into a man! A man!" She covered the smile on her mouth. "Heh! A Man... You know how happy I am right now?"

He didn't know.

He only knew that after he awakened, it seemed like he had turn into a tree...

His hair was leaves; His fingers were branches and his body was a tree trunk... Everything under his abdomen was his legs! All 1 800 of them, in all different sizes and everything in disorder and a jumble of mess! And all the roots were buried in the ground!

He was still dreaming. *'Yeah! It must be a dream!'*

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[1] A chinese brand of sanitary pads

[2] A very popular trading platform for chinese people in China and abroad

which is the equivalent of eBay.

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